



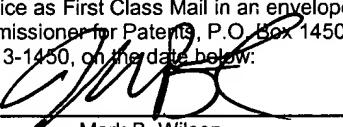
PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Title:

POLYMERIZABLE COMPOSITIONS FOR MAKING  
TRANSPARENT POLYMER SUBSTRATES, RESULTING  
POLYMER SUBSTRATES, AND USES THEREOF IN  
OPTICS

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Applicant: Richard *et al*  
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**I. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116;**  
**II. A RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 20, 2004; AND**  
**III. A PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Applicants submit this Response to the Office Action dated February 20, 2004 (the Action). Consideration of the above-referenced case in view of this Response is requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**A Response to the Office Action** begins on page 8 of this paper.

**A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time** begins on page 10 of this paper.